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**ELECTION OF SPECIES**

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In response to the Office Action dated June 14, 2005, Applicant herein elects Claims 1-12 for prosecution at this time. The elected species is illustrated in Figures 1-4.

As noted by the Examiner, Claim 1 appears to be generic. Applicant further notes that upon the allowance of a generic claim, Applicant will be entitled to consideration of the non-elected species.

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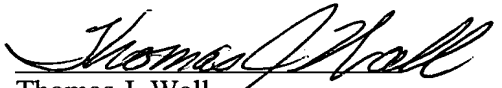
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